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Sent: 10/27/2016 1:54:29 AM
To: Capacasa, Jon [Capacasa.jon@epa.gov]
CC: Sternberg, David [Sternberg.David@epa.gov]
Subject: Re: Courier Times, Questions on PFOA/PFOS (Deadline 10/27)

I agree. We are not the experts in epidemiological studies or their usefulness. This is a question for CDC/ATSDR and HQ would be the ones to weigh in on how results from such a study could be used. Our response to Senator Casey regarding this topic was to defer to CDC and that we would support them within our area of expertise if a study was done.

Sent from my mobile device.

On Oct 26, 2016, at 4:16 PM, Capacasa, Jon <Capacasa.jon@epa.gov> wrote:

Sounds like a topic we might defer to CDC to address.

From: Sternberg, David
Sent: Wednesday, October 26, 2016 4:06 PM
To: rogers, rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
Cc: schaffer, joan <schafer.joan@epa.gov>; damm, thomas <Damm.Thomas@epa.gov>; D'Andrea, Michael <DANDREA.MICHAEL@EPA.GOV>; Capacasa, Jon <Capacasa.jon@epa.gov>; Crumlish, Karen <Crumlish.Karen@epa.gov>; Brown, Kinshasa <Brown.Kinshasa@epa.gov>; Ryan, Daniel <Ryan.Daniel@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Courier Times, Questions on PFOA/PFOS (Deadline 10/27)

Rick,

Would you mind taking a crack at this. It sounds like they are asking for our (your) professional opinion. Another option might be to say that we do not have a position/opinion on that and the question is better directed to ATSDR and/or PADOH.

Please advise. Thanks,

David

From: Fuld, John
Sent: Wednesday, October 26, 2016 3:34 PM
To: Sternberg, David <Sternberg.David@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Courier Times, Questions on PFOA/PFOS (Deadline 10/27)

David,

OST requested that Region 3 review answer #4?

I will need this back by 10 am if possible. (see below)

Thanks

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Sent: Wednesday, October 26, 2016 1:34 PM

To: Loop, Travis <Loop.Travis@epa.gov>

Cc: Fuld, John <Fuld.John@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Courier Times, Questions on PFOA/PFOS (Deadline 10/27)

Here you go. As I mentioned yesterday, our answers are quite technical because the questions are too!

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From: Loop, Travis
Sent: Monday, October 17, 2016 11:53 AM
To: Lalley, Cara <Lalley.Cara@epa.gov>; Harper, Ashley <harper.ashley@epa.gov>
Cc: Fuld, John <Fuld.John@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Courier Times, Questions on PFOA/PFOS (Deadline 10/27)

Please see the attached questions from a reporter. There are a lot and they are very health based. We do have until Oct 27 to get back to the reporter, but I am requesting that we get OST info back by Oct 26. (We can always answer sooner) Thanks.

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From: Sternberg, David
Sent: Friday, October 14, 2016 5:38 PM
To: Lee, Monica <Lee.Monica@epa.gov>; Loop, Travis <Loop.Travis@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Courier Times, Questions on PFOA/PFOS (Deadline 10/27)

Monica and Travis,

Attached are a somewhat lengthy list of questions from Kyle Bagentose of the Bucks County Intelligencer/Courier Times. I think most of the questions are best answered from the HQ level, although we are happy to provide assistance from the region.

Please let me know if you would like HQ to take the lead in developing a response, and if so what we can do to best assist from the regional level.

Thanks,

David

From: Bagenstose, Kyle [<mailto:kbagenstose@calkins.com>]
Sent: Friday, October 14, 2016 3:32 PM
To: Sternberg, David <Sternberg.David@epa.gov>
Subject: Courier Times, Questions on PFOA/PFOS (Deadline 10/27)

Hi David,

For some reason missed your voicemail from last week until yesterday. Sorry, but appreciate the call. You are correct that I did receive Upper Southampton's well information and thus withdrew a RTK request I filed with the EPA.

For an upcoming story I've prepared a list of questions for the agency, attached in a .Doc in this email. My deadline for responses is end-of-day 10/27. I believe they're rather extensive and I imagine would probably require input from the team that put together the 70 ppt HAL. I can probably get some flexibility in that deadline if needed, but would certainly appreciate an estimate of the time that would be needed if that's the case.

Please do confirm that you received this email and that the .Doc came through OK.

Thanks.

-Kyle

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